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By Overnight Mail and Electronic Mail

Hon. Mary Cottrell, Secretary
Department of Telecommunications & Energy
One South Station, 2nd Floor
Boston, MA 02110

Re: DTE 03-40 Boston Gas Company d/b/a KeySpan Energy Delivery N.E. - Motion to Enlarge

Dear Secretary Cottrell:

Pursuant to 220 C.M.R. §§ 1.04(5)(a) and 1.06(6)(b)(2), the Massachusetts Oilheat Council, Inc. and the Massachusetts Alliance for Fair Competition, Inc. (Intervenors) respectfully request a minor adjustment to the briefing schedule. As grounds for this motion, the Intervenors state that the hearings did not close during the week of August 4, 2003, as originally contemplated by the procedural schedule, due to the exigencies of the seven week hearing process.

The Intervenors request that the briefing schedule be enlarged to allow their initial brief, currently due August 26, 2003 to be filed on August 29, 2003. The remainder of the briefing schedule will remain the same. This motion is consistent with the Attorney General's August 14, 2003 motion to enlarge. The Company and the Attorney General have been contacted and neither object to the motion. Intervenors further respectfully request an expedited ruling on this matter because of the immediacy of the August 26th due date.

Enclosed are six copies of this letter, together with a Certificate of Service.

Respectfully submitted,

Emilio Petroccione

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Enclosure

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